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Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of Klas NORDSTRÖM, Hans AUGUSTSSON, Lars SAMUELSSON, Per-Anders HOFGREN, Elisabeth SVALA for Telecommunications Network Resource Handling Arrangement and Method.

☐ Applicant(s) hereby request(s) that the above-captioned application **NOT BE PUBLISHED** under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.211. The undersigned hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

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- ☒ 4 sheet(s) of ☒ formal ☐ informal drawing(s);
- ☒ a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 ☒ is hereby made to Application No. 9901588-5 filed in Sweden on May 4, 1999;
- ☒ in the declaration;
- ☒ a certified copy of the priority document;
- ☒ An ☐ executed ☒ unexecuted declaration of the inventor(s) ☒ also is enclosed ☐ will follow.
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--This application is a continuation of International Application No. PCT/SE00/00860 filed on May 4, 2000, which International Application ☒ was ☐ was not published by the International Bureau in English on November 9, 2000--

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Basic Application Fee (101)					\$ 740.00
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